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SUBJECT: SSH BENEFICIARY INFORMATION FOR 2008/2009

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Summary

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Lesotho awarded \$40 000 in Special Self Help (SSH) funds to six community groups in the year October 1, 2008 to September 30, 2009 benefitting 607 males and 905 females.

Beneficiary details

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- 11. Molibetsane Primary School used funds to purchase building materials to construct three classrooms in the Leribe district. There were 112 male and 138 female beneficiaries for this \$9,000 grant.
- 12. Soai Primary School, located in a remote and isolated rural area of Lesotho serving 400 students previously used stones as seats in their classrooms. Thanks to a grant worth \$6,500 they now have 100 student desks and seven chairs for teachers. This grant benefited 168 males and 239 females.
- 13. Mofumahali oa Maloti R.C Mission built toilet facilities for three schools in the remote area of Ketane in the Mohale's Hoek District. This \$7,000 grant improved sanitation for 95 males and 112 females.
- 14. Sefaha Primary School previously conducted classes in a tent that was later demolished by inclement weather. This \$6,500 grant was used to purchase building materials for construction of two classrooms. 118 males and 186 females benefitted.
- 15. Tsoloane Primary School previously conducted classes in a dilapidated old house in the rural and remote area of the Qacha's Nek district. Thanks to a grant for \$6,500 110 males and 192 females now have two new classrooms.
- 16. Manyeloi a Manyane Day Care Center was awarded a grant for \$4,500. This was used to pay for removal costs of an old pump, testing of water quality installation of a new submersible pump and accessories, installation of a steel stand and supply of a water tank so that four males and 38 females can have clean water.

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